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In re Application

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DEVICE (as amended)

PATENT APPLICATION

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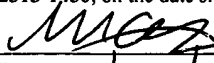
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment is being filed after issuance of a Notice of Allowance in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.312. This amendment is accompanied by the Issue Fee Transmittal and check in the amount of \$1,000.00 to cover the required fees.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.